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Between 27 January and 10 February 1952, an increased activity was observed at Camp Nochten on the Weisswasser (O 52/A 74) training area. On 29 January, four T-34/85 tanks fired with live ammunition at the training field. At about 2 p.m. on 1 February, five T-34/85 tanks entered the barracks installation at Spremberg (O 52/A 54). Three T-34/85 tanks left the same installation and drove toward the training area at 10 a.m. on 4 February. Seven JS tanks, coming from Cottbus, were unloaded at the Weisswasser railroad station and went to the training grounds at about 10 p.m. on 4 February. Four JS tanks were engaged in firing practice on 6 February. The ration supply depot at Weisswasser was still closed. Vehicles observed at the training area []

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* [] Comment. Tank details, probably belonging to the 9th Mox Div, have been repeatedly observed at firing practice on the Weisswasser training area since November 1951. []

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